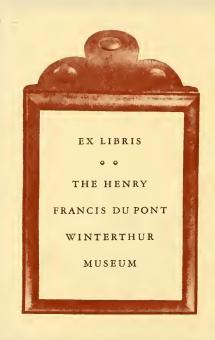


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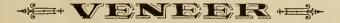




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SEATS, CHAIRS, SETTEES

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Factories, 330 to 342 East 61st Street,



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Will assist us to fill their orders correctly by observing the following suggestions:

1.—Please state whether the frames of the Chairs are to be Walnut, Ash or Maple, (if Maple, whether they are light Finish or Imitation Walnut.)

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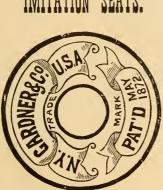
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# GARDNER & CO., 183 Canal Street, New York City,

Factories, Nos. 330, 332, 334, 336, 338, 340 and 342 East 61st Street.







Gardner's 3-Ply Veneer Chair Seat, And be sure to see that each Seat has our

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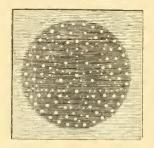
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Etc., Etc., made by gluing Veneers together, so that the fibre of each layer crosses the other at right angles, neatly perforated and shaped to fit all styles of Chairs, Rockers and Settees adapted to Cane. By this device we have a highly ornamented and comfortable From scientific bodies and experts we have received the most flattering commendations, and the people turn to them with hearty welcome, glad to find such a beautiful successor to the cane seat, with its long list of objections. From all quarters the orders come, seat, at less than the cost of cane, which almost any person can nail on.

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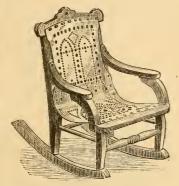
### PROTECTION.

If the same care that is given to keep upholstered seats from being injured by water or standing on, especially by grown-up persons, should be given to keep the Perforated Seat from injury, it would no doubt last a lifetime, or as long as any other part of the Chair.

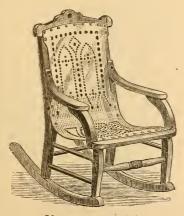
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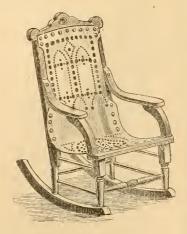
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No. 138½—Small Child's Maple Frame, Im. Walnut.



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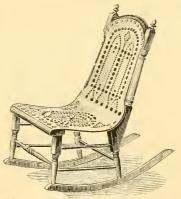


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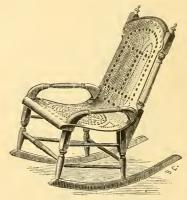




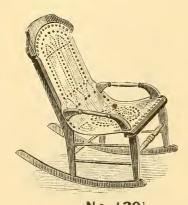
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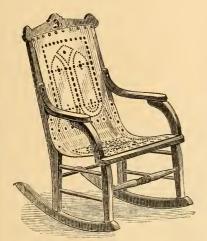


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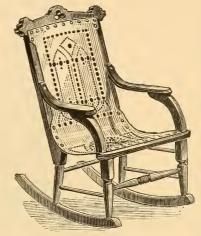
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The neatest and strongest Children's Rockers in the market.



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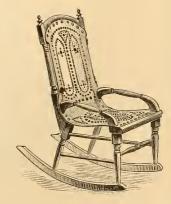
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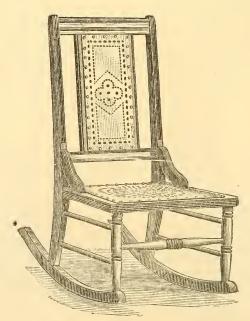
No. 116-Misses' Walnut Frame. No. 117-Misses' Walnut Frame.





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SEWING OR NURSE ROCKER.

No. 255-Walnut Frame.



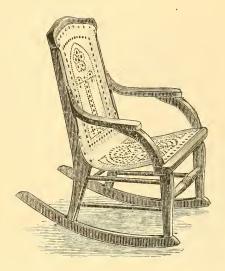
SEWING OR NURSE.

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SEWING OR NURSE.

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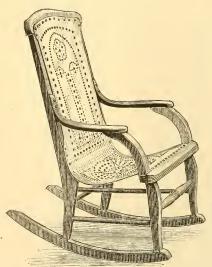


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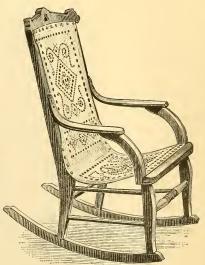


SEWING ROCKER.

No. 247—Maple Frame, Im. Walnut. No. 248—Maple Frame. Im. Walnut. 249-Walnut Frame,



LARGE EASY ROCKER.



LARGE EASY ROCKER,

No. 251 - Maple Frame. Im. Walnut, No. 250 - Maple Frame. Im. Walnut.



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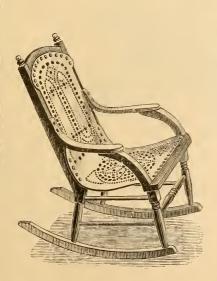
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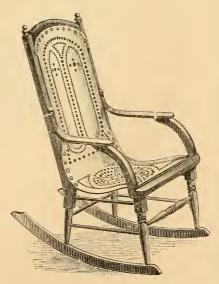
SEWING OR NURSE.

No. 140-Walnut Frame.

156-Maple Frame, Im. Wal.



No. 148-Sewing. Walnut Frame,



No. 144-Walnut Frame.

Our BASE ROCKER is Strong and well made, and should not be compared in price with the cheap Shoddy Rockers now in the market.



BASE ROCKER.

No. 259—Walnut Frame.
(Not Made in Ash.)

# STRONG, ORNAMENTAL, COMFORT-ABLE AND CLEANLY,



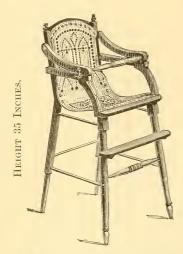
No. 167—Eastlake. Ash Frame

'' 168— "Walnut Frame,

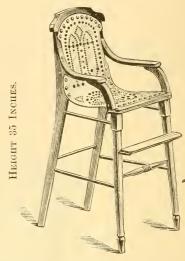
Our VENEER-SEATED EASTLAKE CHAIRS are very strong, and the seats

do not fade, accumulate dust or get eaten up by moths, as is

the case with upholstered-seat chairs.



No. 145-Walnut Frame.

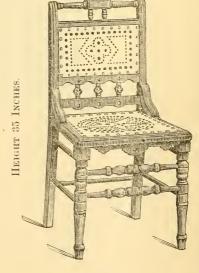


No. 256-Maple Frame. Im Walnut.

No fear of children Breaking through if they should stand on them,



No. 278—Walnut.



DINING.
No. 277—Walnut.



SMALL CHILD'S. No. 1712-Maple Frame, Im. Walnut. No. 171-Maple Frame, Im. Walnut.



CHILD'S.

172½— " Lt. Finish. " 172— " Lt. Finish.



133- " " Im. Wal.



No. 132-Maple Frame, Lt. Finish. No. 132-Maple Frame, Lt. Finish.

\_ " 133½— " " Im. Wal.



**No. 282**—Maple Frame. Im. Wal. **282**½—" Light Fin.



No. 115—Maple Frame, Im. Wal.
115½— " Light Fin.



No. 283—Maple Frame. Im. Wal.
44 283½ " Light Fin.



No. 158—Maple Frame. Im. Wal.

'' 158½ '' ' Light Fin.

'' 158X—Solid Walnut Frame.

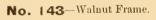


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**241** — " Im. Walnut.

" 242½—Ash

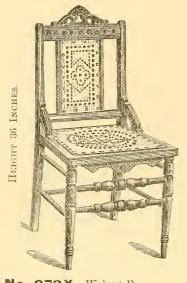
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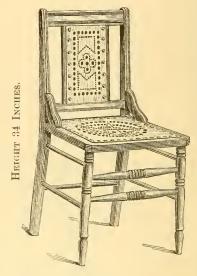
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'' 279½— '' :' Light Finish.

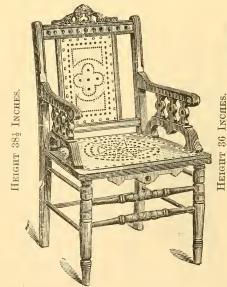


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'' 273½X—Ash Frame.

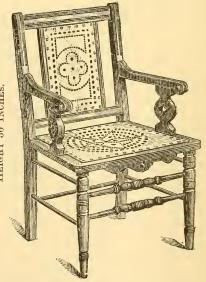


**No. 240**½—Ash Frame. **'' 240**—Walnut Frame.



No. 273X-A—Walnut Frame.

44 273½X-A—Ash. "



No. 240 A—Walnut Frame.

'4 240½ A—Ash Frame.



No. 275-Walnut Frame.



No. 163—Eastlake. Ash Frame.

164— "Wal, Frame.



No. 165—Eastlake Ash Frame.

'' 166— '' Walnut Frame.

STATE OF ALABAMA.

July 6, 1882.

MESSRS. GARDNER & CO.

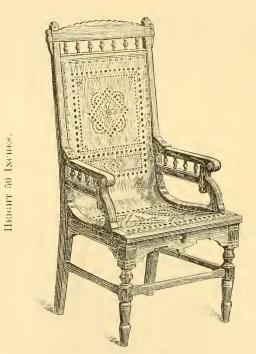
I take pleasure in saying that the furniture purchased of you for the Senate Chamber and Hall of House of Representatives, Supreme Court Room and the different departments of the Capital of Alabama has given *great satisfaction*, and been greatly admired for its strength of make and its *handsome appearance*.

Yours very respectfully,

W. W. SCREW,

Secretary of State.

OFFICER'S CHAIR.



-FOR

ODGES AND MEETING ROOMS

No. 244½—Ash Frame.

No. 244-Walnut Frame.

OLEAN LODGE No. 2117, KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

OLEAN, N. Y., March 14, 1883.

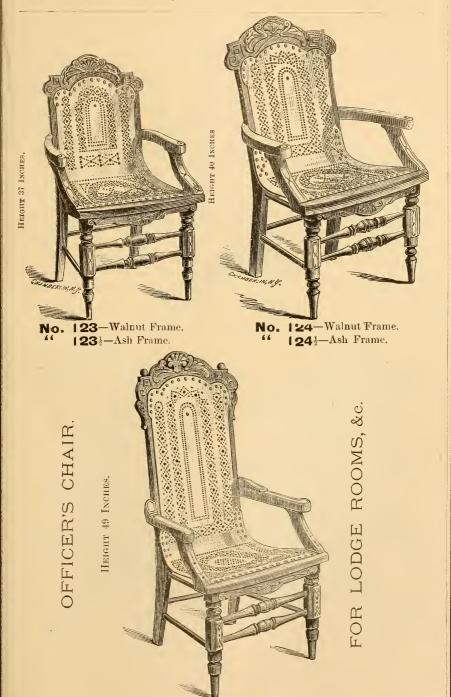
GARDNER & CO.,

Gents:—Yours of the 10th received. The matter was put before the Lodge and it was the *unanimous* voice of the members that the furniture gives complete satisfaction, and all visiting members from other lodges express their admiration at the beauty and comfort of our lodge furniture.

Respectfully yours,

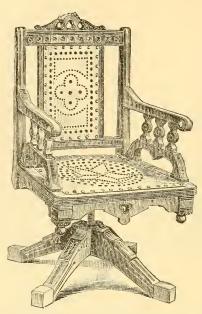
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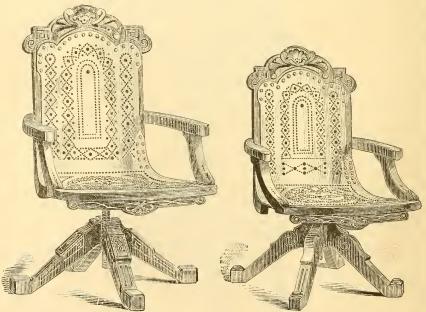


1.0. 191-Walnut Frame.

No. 190-Ash Frame.



No. 273 X-A Tilt-Walnut Frame.



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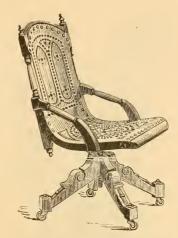
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GARDNER'S GOVERNMENT TILTING CHAIR.



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No. 113—Walnut Frame.

'' 113½—Ash Frame.



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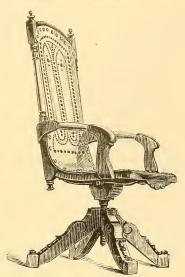
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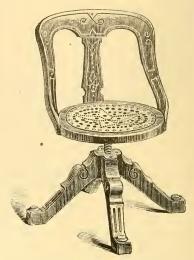
EASTLAKE OFFICE.

181-Ash Frame.

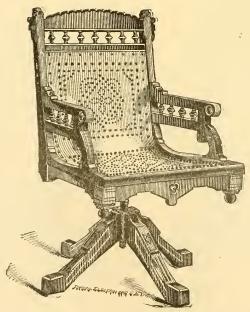
182-Walnut Frame.



No. 119-Walnut Frame.



No. 189—Walnut Frame, 189½—Ash Frame, SCREW SEAT, A very strong Office Chair,



EASTLAKE OFFICE OR LIBRARY CHAIR.

No. 180—Walnut Frame,



No. 288-Wal Frame. Plush Top.



No. 287-Walnut Frame,

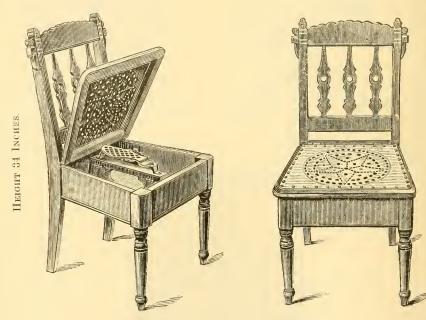


OFFICE CHAIR WITH TILT AND SCREW.

No.271—Walnut Frame,

# Blacking-fase and Chair Combined,

Will outlast TWO of the Ordinary Blacking Cases.



BLACKING-BOX CHAIR.

No. 194--WALNUT FRAME.

THE BEST PRESENT YOU CAN MAKE A YOUNG MAN.

## TESTIMONIALS AND REFERENCES.

STRONG PLACE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROOKLYN.

NEW YORK, April 24, '80.

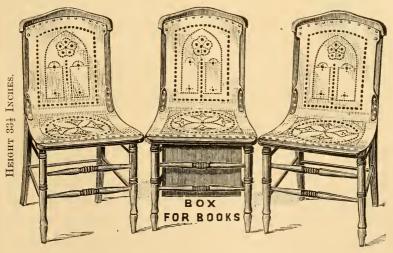
MESSES. GARDNER & CO.

Gents:—We have had in use for the last six months 400 of your Perforated Veneer Chairs. They have been used by the Sunday School thoroughly, also during the week for meetings, and not one of them is out of order; all are perfect. Other chairs that we have used would start at the joints or break in the seats. We are delighted with them, not only for their strength, but for their cheerful appearance, Our rooms never looked better.

Respectfully yours,

JAS. M. BURT,

of Church Committee.



No. 201-Maple Frame, Light Finish.

No. 202- " Im. Walnut.

Couplings for Chairs and Box for Books, extra.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH IN PIERREPONT STREET,

Brooklyn, Jan'y 25th, 1879.

MESSRS. GARDNER & CO.

Gentlemen.—We take pleasure in stating that the 480 Perforated Chairs purchased of you for our new lecture and S. S. room have given great satisfaction. They are very comfortable, present a neat and attractive appearance, and give promise of great durability.

Yours very truly, CHAS, F. KETCHAM,

Chairman Building Committee.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 25, 1884.
Messrs. Gardner & Co.

Gentlemen:-Many distracting occupations have prevented me from sooner expressing to you the unqualified satisfaction and pleasure afforded our Congregation by the pews you furnished our Church. For beauty, comfort, cleanliness and coolness, (the latter is an important consideration in our climate) they are unequalled. This is the unanimous verdict of all who have seen and tried them. The Charleston News and Courier in its description of the Church, very aptly called them; "The Anatomical Church Pew of the Future," such they are sure to be when once their merits are generally known. With your pew we can do away with the upholstered seats or cushions so sure to fade and gather the dust. I have no hesitation in pronouncing your pew the best to be had.

Permit me in this connection to express to you my personal appreciation of the prompt and honorable business method which has marked your dealings with me.

Yours respectfully,

F. J. SHADLER,
Pastor of St. Joseph's Church.

### GARDNER & CO., 183 Canal Street, New York,

We make a specialty of seating Churches and Sunday School Rooms, and issue a Special Catalogue of Church Furniture. If interested please send for it.



### INFANT-CLASS SETTEE-Made to Order only.

No. 21-Ash Frame.

" 2-Walnut Frame.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15, 1879.

MESS. GARDNER & CO.

Gentlemen:—We have used your Chairs (No. 115) in the Lecture and Sabbath school Room of the 61st Street M. E. Church over four years, and we are happy to say that they are as perfect now as when received from you. The Settees (No. 2½) you furnished us for the Infant-class Room with "Our Sabbath Home" perforated in the back of each, are as durable as they are elegant. I have no hesitation in recommending the Chairs and Settees for the purposes above stated, as the most economical, elegant and durable article that can be obtained.

(Signed)

JOHN RUDDELL,

Pres't Board of Trustees,

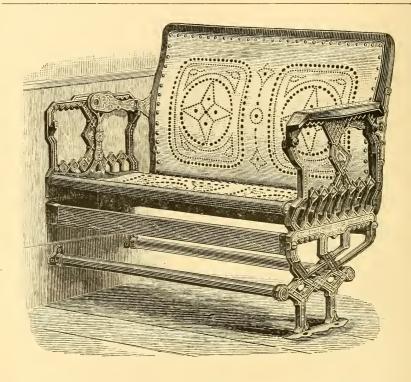
Parsonage, No. 223 East 61st Street, New York. May 1st, 1883.

MESSRS. GARDNER & CO.

Gentlemen:—I have much pleasure in giving my hearty and emphatic endorsement to above statement—it is as true to-day as when written—the Chairs have proved durable, they are still strong and good, and the Infant-class Room Settees still afford comfort to the little ones in their Sabbath Home.

LINDSAY PARKER.

Pastor.



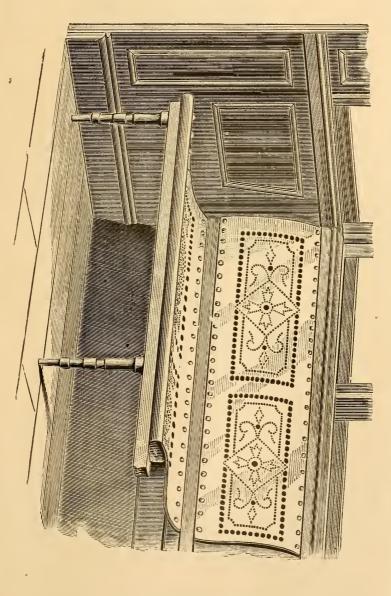
Gardner's New Reversible Car Seat No. 8, Iron Ends, Ash Frame.

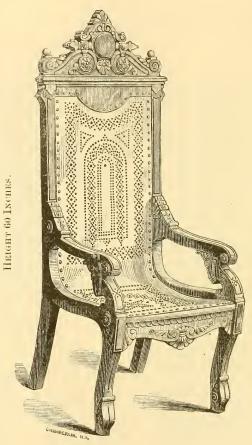
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# Patent Perforated Phree-Ply Penser Seats.

Since the introduction of our No. 8 Car Seat, we have sold over 1,000 of them, and the demand is increasing rapidly as its merits become known. We issue a Special Catalogue of Rail Road Work. If interested please send for it.

Perforated Veneer Street Car Seat and Back.





No. 170-Walnut Frame.

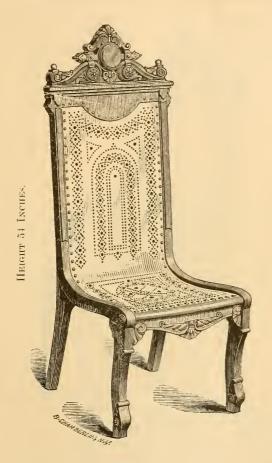
## Officer's Chair for Lodge Rooms.

OUSATONIC LODGE No. 6, I. O. O. F.

BIRMINGHAM, CONN., Sept. 27, 1882.

Messrs GARDNER & CO.

Gentlemen: In response to your inquiry of the 26th inst. I would say, some four months ago Ousatonic Lodge, No. 6 I. O. O. F. of this place purchased through a committee, Settees and Chairs for the fitting up of a new Lodge Room. But a short time elapsed after such purchase before the building, furniture, and entire fittings were destroyed by fire. The articles obtained of you gave such universal satisfaction to every member of the lodge, which is quite large, that in rebuilding and refurnishing, the same committee was reappointed, with the understanding that the same style of Furniture should be provided. As you are aware, another lot was



No. 169 - Walnut Frame.

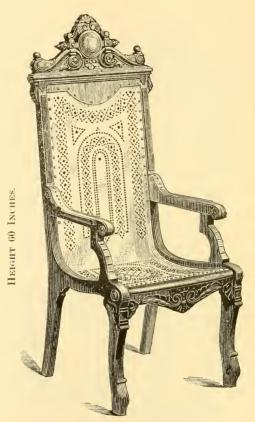
# Supporter's Chair, to Match No. 170 or 193.

purchased including a full set of officers chairs, settees, &c. To any Lodge contemplating furnishing anew their rooms, I would heartily recommend the Perforated Veneer goods as the most appropriate of any for the purpose. For comfort, cleanliness, durability and good taste, they excel anything designed for that purpose that the committee were able to find. The officers' chairs are especially admired for their general tasteful appearance and for their elegant design and finish. The Lodge have never had cause to regret their action in this matter.

Very truly yours,

A. B. RUGGLES,

Chairman Com.



No. 193-Walnut Frame.

## Officers' Chair for Lodge Rooms.

WATERTOWN CITY LODGE, No. 291, I. O. O. F.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Sept. 24, 1882.

GARDNER & CO.,

Gents: Your letter of the 22d received and contents noted. In regard to the Settees and Chairs you furnished Watertown City Lodge, No. 291, I. O. O. F. with in the winter of 1878, I would say they are satisfactory in every respect and admired by every one who has seen them. In fact they look richer to-day than when we first got them, as they have grown darker. I would advise any Lodge who want settees and chairs to examine the Perforated Veneer Seats before buying.

Yours respectfully,

HENRY C. DUNSFORD,

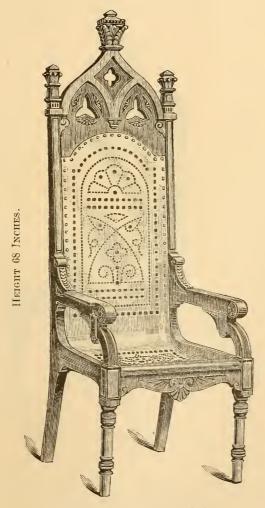
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### CARVED AND GILT EMBLEMS



PUT IN UPPER PANEL OF
No. 290.





OFFICER'S CHAIR.

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44 290½—Ash Frame.

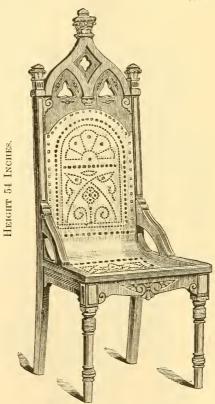
NEW HAVEN, CONN., Dec. 29, 1883.

MESSRS GARDNER & CO., New York City:

In the early part of last summer we had occasion to furnish a new Odd Fellows. Hall in this city, and after much inquiry, decided upon your Perforated Veneer Chairs and Settees for the same.

It affords us great pleasure to assure you that they have given universal satisfaction, and have called forth much favorable commendation from all who have seen the same.

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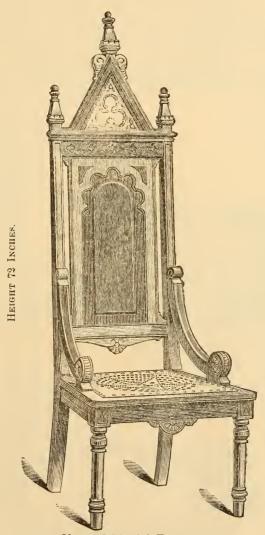
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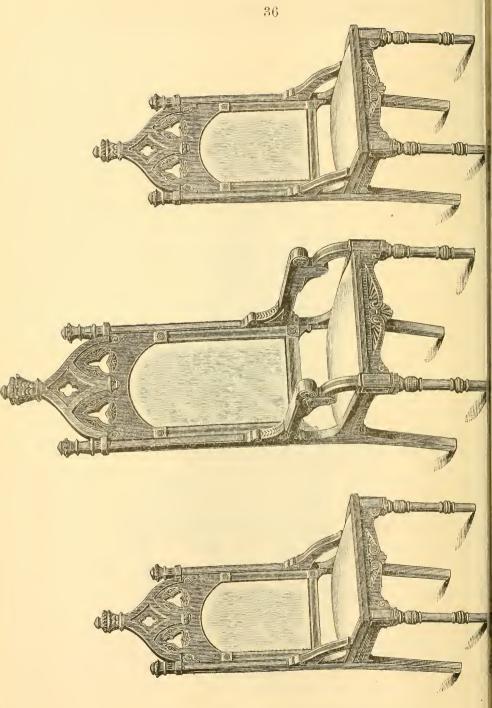
We take great pleasure in exhibiting the Hall to all who desire to view it, and it is the unanimous verdict that the beautiful design and elegant finish of your furn. iture add greatly to the beauty and harmony of the rooms.

Respectfully yours,

L. P. DENNING, Committee.



No. 292½—Ash Frame. " 292—Walnut





No. 44-Walnut Frame,

441—Ash Frame.

444—Maple Frame. Im. Wal,

448—Maple Frame. Light Finish.



DINING CHAIR.

No. 69.—Walnut Frame.

69½—Ash Frame

694—Maple Frame, Im. Wal.

693-Maple Frame. Light Fin.

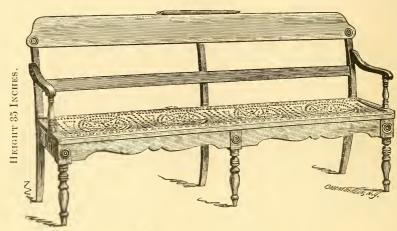


No. 69A-Walnut Frame.

" 69½ A—Ash Frame.

69 A—Maple Frame. Im. Wal.

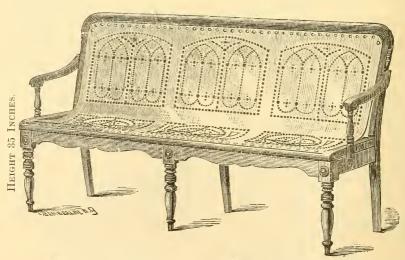
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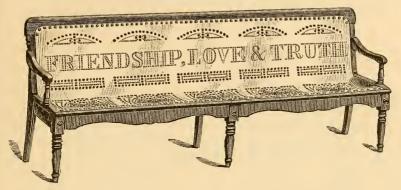
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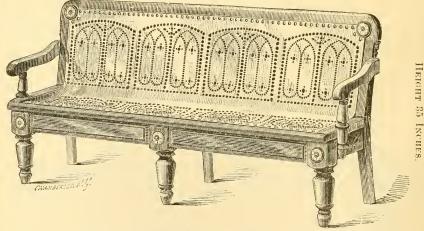
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MORRISANIA LODGE, No. 171, I. O. O. F.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14th, 1877.

MESSRS GARDNER & CO. :

Gentlemen:—In reply to your inquiry, I have the pleasure of informing you that the Morrisania Lodge, No. 171, I. O. O. F. is very much pleased with the furniture you made for their new hall. Especial praise has been bestowed upon the officers' chairs, the beauty of which has won the admiration of all who have seen them. Being the first Lodge to possess these newest specimens of your skill, they feel more then usual proud of them. [CONTINUED]



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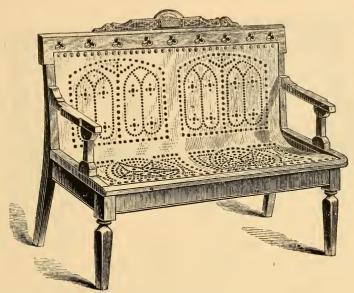
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With respect, I remain, yours, &c.,

L. K. BINGHAM,

Chairman of Building Committeee of Morrisania Lodge, No. 171, I. O. O F.

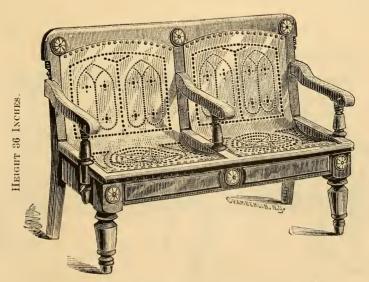
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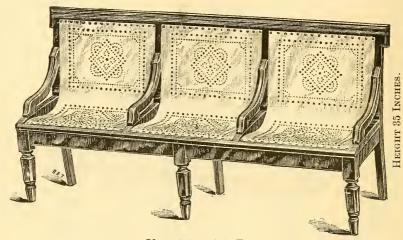
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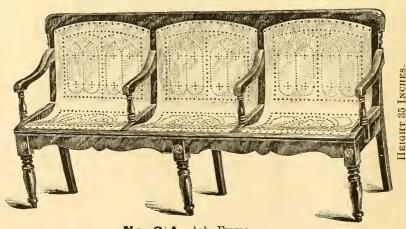
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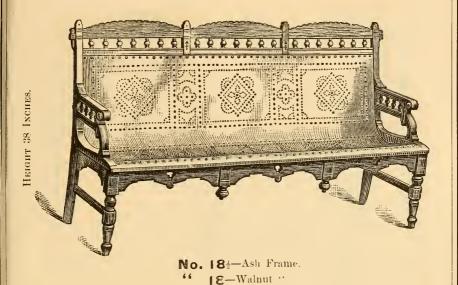
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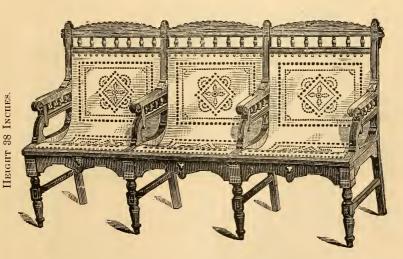
Dear Sirs: - In reference to the furniture you furnished our Lodge in the winter of 1882, would say that we are very much pleased with it and that it gave entire Yours, R. C. TUTHILL, JR. satisfaction.

Reporter.



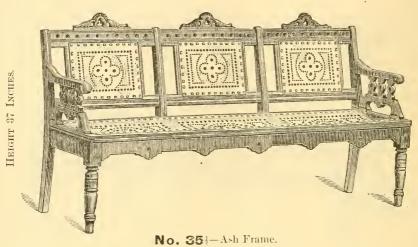
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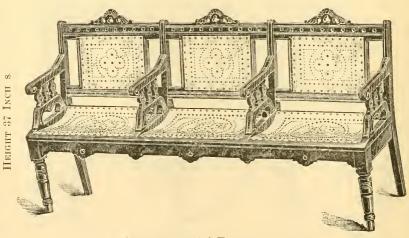


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35-Walnut Frame.



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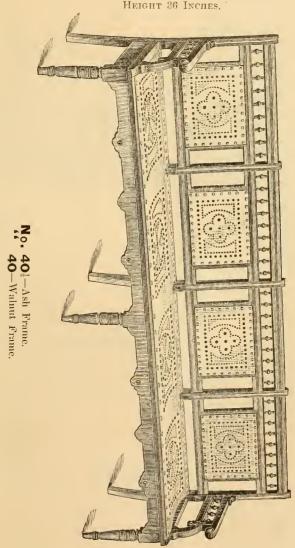
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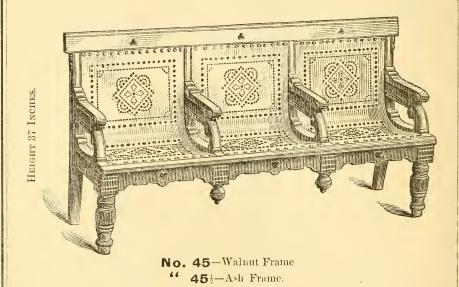
Yours truly,

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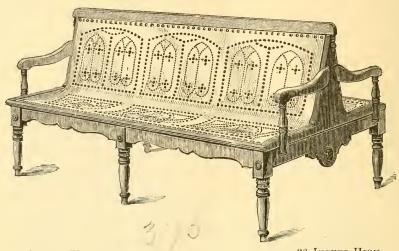
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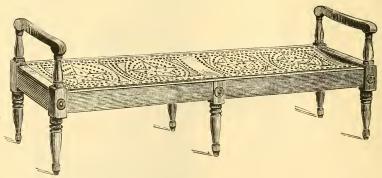
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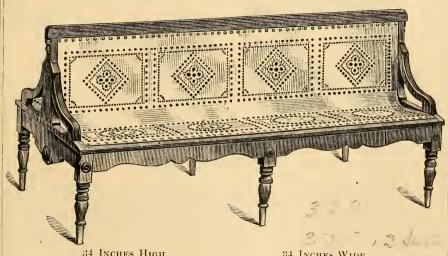
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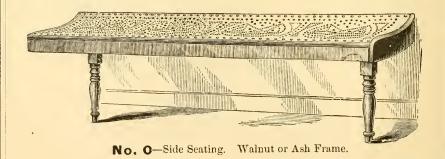
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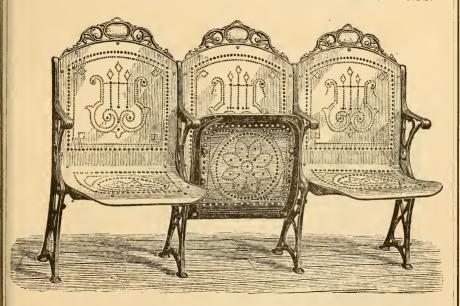
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From floor to top of back, 36 inches.

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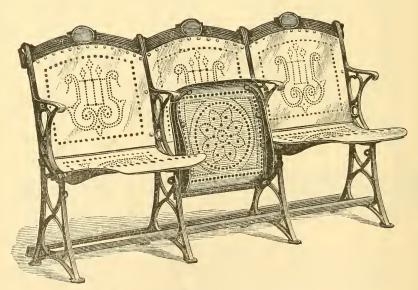
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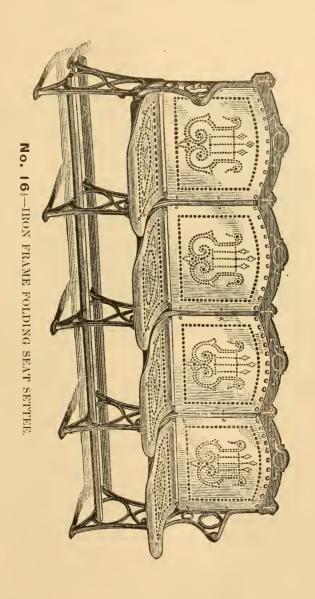
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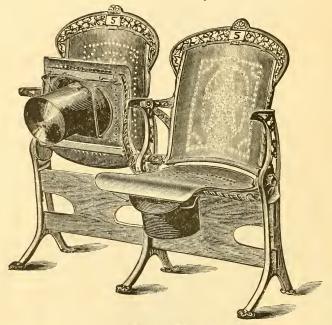
From floor to top of back, 33 inches. " " seat  $16\frac{1}{2}$  "

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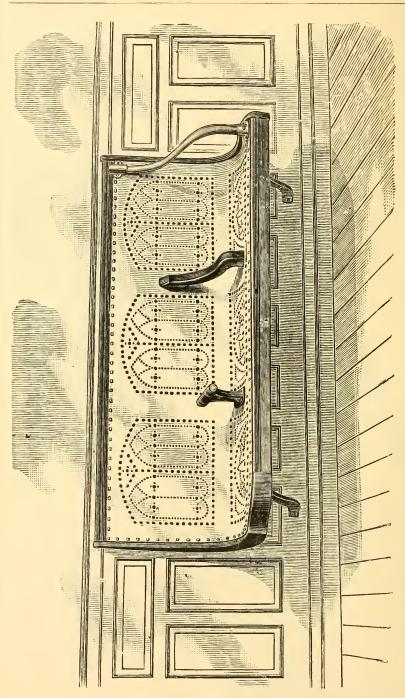
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Chairman Committee on the Temple.

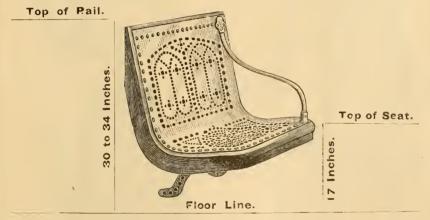


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No. 285—Walnut Frame.

No. 286½—Oak Top, Ash Base, With iron rods.



The cut on the opposite page shows our No. 4 Side Seating which is recommended for places where permanent seating is wanted. The cut shows on the right a square finished and on the left a round corner end. The division arm on the right is either nickel plated or japanned; in the centre is a wood brace arm; and on the left is a T arm. One of the advantages of our No. 4 Side Seating is that there are no legs in the way when the floor is to be scrubbed or swept.



View of Rounded End for No. 4 Side Seating,

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In ordering Side Seating, please send a diagram of the room giving net measurements; also show where Seats are located. If mitres and round-finished or squarefinished ends are wanted, please mark the same on the diagram. Give height and thickness of base board, if any; also height of window from floor, depth of chimney, or any other projection.



No. 57—High Desk Stool, 30 to 36 inches high, Walnut; Seat glued up, (see Stool No. 60,) Maple base, stained Im. Walnut.



STOOL.
With Perforated Veneer Seat.

No. 61—Oak.
No. 62—Wal.



No. 59—High Desk Stool, 30 to 36 inches high, Walnut top, Walnut seat glued up, (see stool No. 60.) Maple base, stained Im. Walnut.



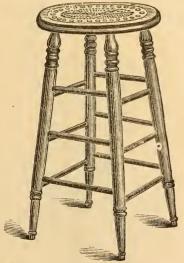


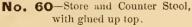
Myer's Patent Revolving Counter Stools.

No. 5—Ash Frame. Solid Seats Perforated.

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The pin upon which the stools revolve (shown by side of stool in the cut,) is screwed into position on the floor, and the stool simply sits upon it. When the floor needs sweeping or scrubbing, they can be lifted off.





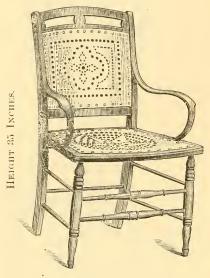
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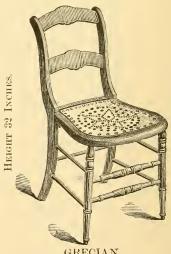
SEWING ROCKER-Maple Frame.

No. 834—Light Finish. 44 831-Im. Walnut.



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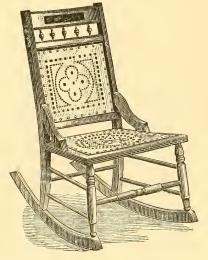
69½A—Ash
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No. 76—Maple Frame. Im. Walnut, '' 76½—'' '' Light Fin. From floor to top of Seat, 11 In. '' '' Back, 21½ In.



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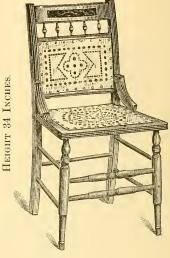
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Mo. 70-Walnut Frame.

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66 701-Maple Frame. Im. Wal.

703- " Light Finish.



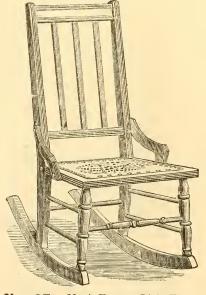
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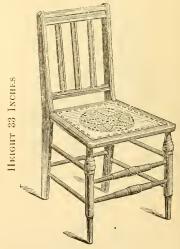
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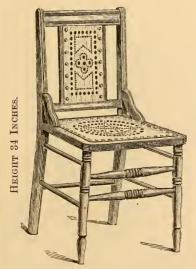
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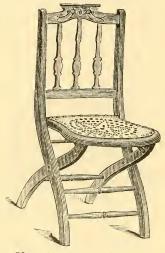




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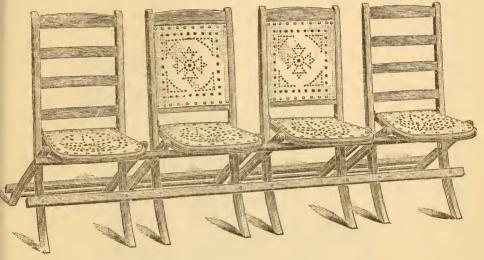
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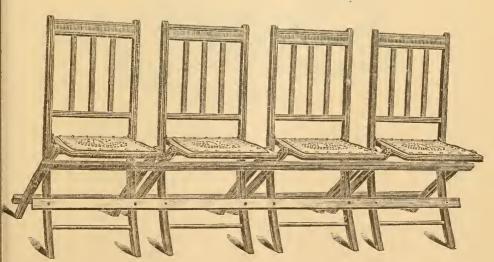
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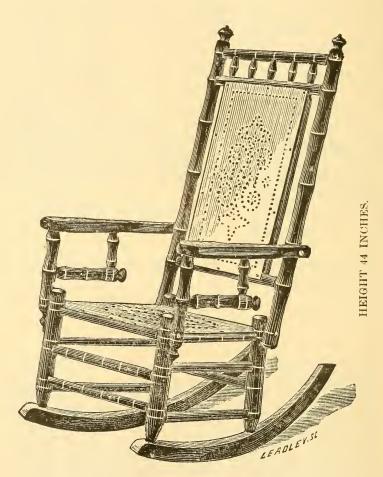


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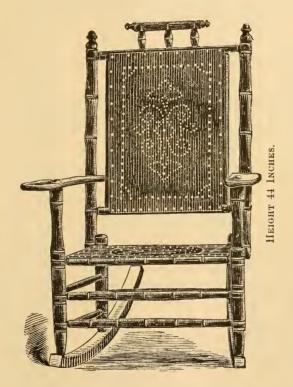


# VERANDA ROCKER.

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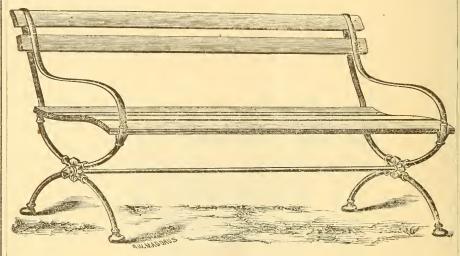
" 74 "

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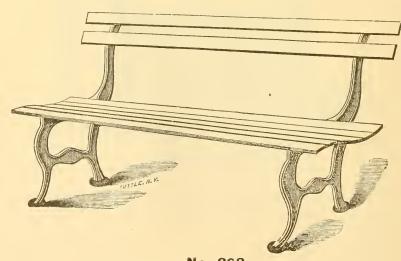


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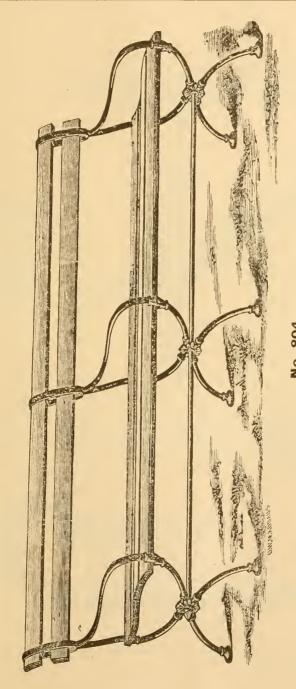
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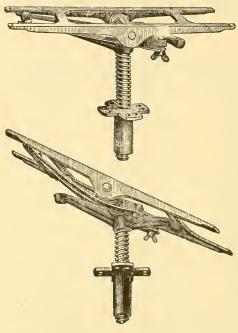


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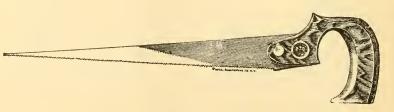
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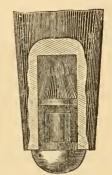
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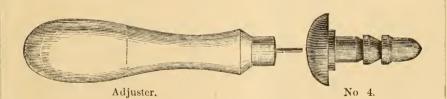
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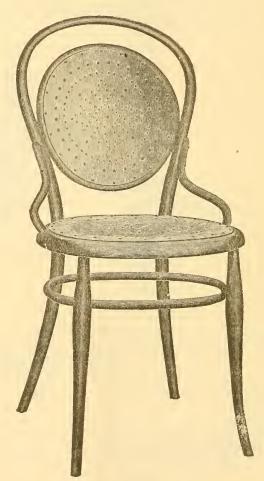




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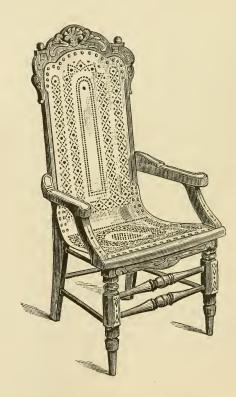
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